

2022	Local Oscillator	June
------	------------------	------



MVRC SWAP MEET

The Articles for This Month

MVRC Swap Meet

The swap meet is back as of May 28. A regular swap meet was held with quite a few hams selling and buying equipment. There were no commercial sellers but the hams started to arrive about 6 AM and by 7 AM most of the places on the east of the property were taken.

Some hams from out of town came, lots of conversation with old and new friends was heard and the club sold lots of doughnuts in the club house.

Most people left before noon but the effort was a good restart of the bean feed era even if it appears that most of the coming meets will be beanless.

Antenna Party

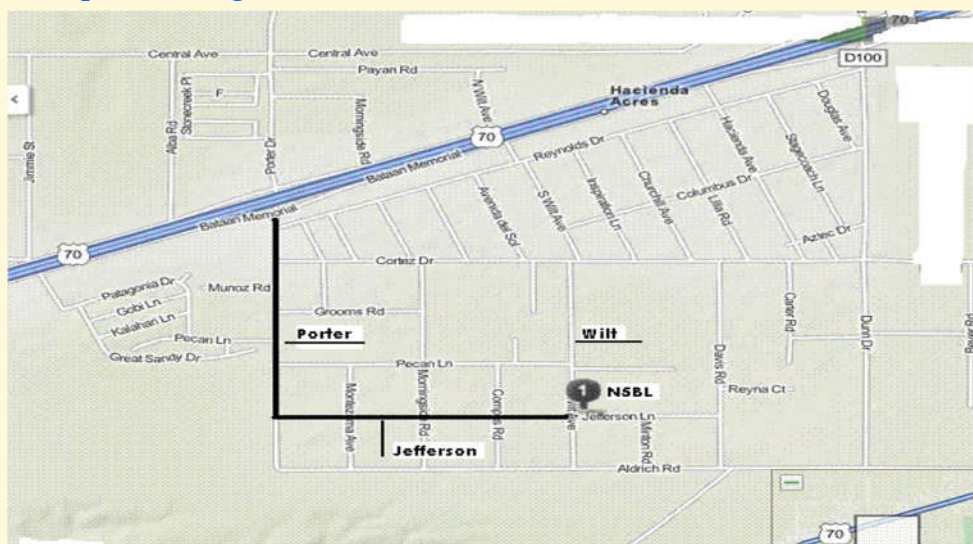
Another very successful effort was made when an antenna party was held in north west Las Cruces on May 21. The party was designed to help hams get antennas ready for Field Day. About a dozen or so hams brought their antennas and used some of the often quite sophisticated antenna measuring instruments which were available..

A wide variety of antennas made their appearance.: whips, verticals of all lengths,. long wires, ground planes, and interesting mounting devices were present. It was a good place to get some interesting ideas.



CLUB INFORMATION

The MVRC Clubhouse is located at the intersection of Wilt and Jefferson. To find the clubhouse, set your destination on your GPS receiver as 32 degrees 22.961 minutes and -106 degrees 41.44 minutes. If you don't own a GPS, take the Porter exit near the firehouse on US 70. It is about 5 miles east from the I 25 interchange. Go south on Porter until you come to Jefferson. There turn left toward the mountains and go to Wilt. You will see the beam on the corner. The treasurer would be delighted to receive your contribution for landscaping and furnishing. More information at <http://n5bl.org>



Officers

Office	Name	Call	Phone	E-Mail
President	Patrick Chambers	W6VJT	619 249 5616	w6vjt@comcast.net
Secretary	Kyle Gesswein	KY2LE	640-5301	kgesswein@comcast.net
Treasurer	Steve Barkes	W5RRX	640-2686	steve.barkes@gmail.com
Board Members				
Education	Patrick Chambers	W6VJT	619-249-5616	w6vjt@comcast.net
Clubhouse	Furman Smith	KF5KHL	575-382-5982	smithf@zianet.com
Newsletter	Alex. Burr	K5XY	522-2528	k5xy@arrl.net
Repeater	Charles Combs	KG5BVE	575-649-1071	KG5BVE@gmail.com
Commo	George Kopp	KD5OHA	649-9503	georgekopp7853@gmail.com
Special	Rob Rover	KB6DYM	303-717-4874	rb.rover@gmail.com
IT	Charles Combs	KG5BVE	649-1071	kg5bve@gmail.com

JOIN THE MESILLA VALLEY RADIO CLUB

Name(s) _____

EMAIL _____

If you want confirmation that your payment was received and processed, please include your email address

Street Address _____ PO Box# _____

City _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

To join the Mesilla Valley Radio Club or renew your membership, please complete this form and print or cut out. Send it to **"Treasurer, MVRC, PO Box 1443, Las Cruces, NM 88004"** with annual dues (\$35 single, \$45 family)

Date: _____ Method of payment: Check No. _____ Other _____

Call Sign(S) _____ Family Membership Yes _____ No _____

License Class (E, A, G, T, N) _____ ARRL Member? (Y/N) _____

Are You a ARRL Volunteer Examiner (Y/N) _____

Would you like to be added to the MVRC reflector (email information system)? _____

Interests

Computer _____ Contests _____ Digital _____ Elmer _____ Emergency Communications _____

Field Day _____ Packet _____ Programs _____ Public Service _____ Publicity _____ RFI _____

Repeater _____ Social _____ License Classes _____ Teach Licensing Classes _____

Volunteer Examiner _____ QRSS _____ Other _____

Comments